

ANNUAL MEETING AND SHORT COURSE

NCCIA - NCFSPI - NCSA
FRIDAY, JANUARY 29, 2010

8:30 REGISTRATION McKimmon Center Lobby

8:50 BUSINESS SESSIONS (Open to Everyone)
..... McKimmon Center
Foundation Seed Producers David Brickhouse
Crop Improvement Association Ronnie Clark

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9:40 GENERAL PROGRAM McKimmon Center
Presiding: Ronnie Clark

Plant Protection - Seed Treatments

Nematodes Steve Koenning

Soil borne diseases Barbara Shew

Seed Producer Issues

Marketing Bob Usry

**Seed Supply and Quality in the
Southeast** Trey Tyson

Seed Packaging and Other Issues

Monsanto Todd Heap

Conditioning Plants Burt Eure

Another Perspective on Seeds

Seed Certification and Foundation Seeds in Iraq
..... Nakd Khamis

Vegetable Seeds Pieter Westerbeek

12:00 LUNCHEON McKimmon Center
Presiding: David Brickhouse
Speaker Steve Lilley
Remarks Chris Hege
Award Presentation Ronnie Clark

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THE SPEAKERS

General Program:

Dr. Steve Koenning, Plant Pathology Research and Extension Specialist, NCSU. Dr. Koenning has responsibilities for corn, cotton, and soybean. He will talk about seed treatments and nematodes.

Dr. Barbara Shew, Plant Pathology Assistant Professor – Director of the Plant Disease and Insect Clinic, NCSU. Dr. Shew will talk about seed treatments related to soil borne diseases.

Bob Usry, Extension Specialist and Lecturer Emeritus, Agricultural and Resource Economics, NCSU. Bob will talk about distinctions between marketing a seed commodity and marketing a value-added seed product.

Trey Tyson, NC Crop Improvement Association, Seed Certification Specialist. Trey will review the seed situation for peanut and soybean for the southeastern states.

Todd Heap, Monsanto. Todd will speak about changes in the seed industry from his perspective.

Burt Eure, White Hat Seed Farms. Burt will speak about issues related to packaging seed.

Dr. Nakd Khamis, former director of the Iraq Seed Certification and Foundation Seed Organizations. He will speak about Iraqi national seed policy covering seed industry sector focusing on seed quality control activities.

Pieter Westerbeek, Sales representative for Seminis Vegetable Seed. Pieter will share his experiences on the vegetable seed industry.

Luncheon Speaker:

Dr. Steve Lilley, Professor Sociology Department, NCSU. Steve will review the change in demographics in North Carolina and the US as it pertains to agriculture.

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Daryl Bowman Director
Dustin Auman Seed Certification Specialist
Lindsay Driver Seed Certification Specialist
Trey Tyson ... Seed Certification Specialist
Rita Helms Program Assistant
Dianne Coats Accounting Technician

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PROGRAM

81st
Annual Meeting
NC Crop Improvement
Association

65th
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NC Foundation Seed
Producers, Inc.

Annual Short Course
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Raleigh, North Carolina